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PART IV.

Official Papers.

Abstract of Season or Intermediate Reports for the Week ending 1st July 1882.

Bangalore District.—Eighty cents of rain were gauged in the Cantonment and 70 cents in the Pettah of Bangalore. Standing crops in good condition. More rain required for wet cultivation. Sowing operations for the next dry crops are in active progress. Vaisakha paddy harvested in a few places. Prospects of season favorable. Public health generally good, but fever continues to prevail, as also small-pox in parts. Murrain prevalent to a considerable extent. Drinking water and pasturage sufficient. Prices : rice $11\frac{1}{2}$ seers, ragi 26 seers and horse-gram $29\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee.

Kolar District.—Seventy-nine cents of rain at Kolar. The fall appears to have been general. Agricultural operations re-commenced. Tanks are still empty, but wells have a moderate supply of water. Pasturage improved. Public health generally good. Fever prevails to a slight extent in the Mulbagal Taluk. Cattle in good condition. Prices : rice $12\frac{1}{2}$ to $14\frac{1}{2}$ seers and ragi 26 to 32 seers per rupee.

Tumkur District.—Twenty-nine cents of rain at Tumkur. In the Tumkur Taluk the paddy and sugar-cane crops are in moderate condition ; the rest are fading. In Sira and Honnavalli the crops are drooping and stunted from want of rain. Elsewhere they are generally in good condition. Prospects of season fair. Public health generally good. Cattle disease prevalent in parts. The supply of drinking water and pasturage was scanty in the Tumkur, Sira, and Honnavalli Taluks, especially in the last named taluk. Prices : rice 11 to 14 seers, ragi 26 to 32 seers and horse-gram 32 to 40 seers per rupee.

Mysore District.—Thirty-one cents of rain at Mysore. Standing crops in good condition. More rain needed. Kar ragi, cholam, tuvar, avare, gingelly, oil-seed and dod paddy were sown. Public health good. Small-pox and murrain prevalent. Prices : rice 11 seers, ragi $20\frac{1}{2}$ seers and horse-gram $28\frac{1}{2}$ seers per rupee.

Hassan District.—Standing crops in good condition. Paddy was sown in four taluks. Ragi, ballar, horse-gram, castor, Bengal-gram, paddy, &c., have yet to be sown. Prospects of season favorable. Small-pox, fever and dysentery prevalent in parts. Cattle are in a healthy condition generally, but murrain continues to prevail in some parts. The supply of drinking water and pasturage was sufficient. Prices : rice 11 to 14 seers, ragi 22 to 28 seers, and horse-gram 22 to 40 seers per rupee.

Shimoga District.—Eight cents of rain at Shimoga. Standing crops in good condition, except in the Honnali Taluk where they have begun to fade for want of rain. Paddy, ragi, jola, yellu, and green and black gram were sown. The transplanting of paddy seedlings in Nagar and Kavaledurga Taluks is continued. Prospects of season good. Fever, dysentery and diarrhea prevalent, and small-pox in Honnali, Nagar and Kavaledurga. Murrain still continues in parts. Prices: rice 12 to 16 seers, ragi 20 to 36 seers and jola 26 to 32 seers per rupee.

Kadur District.—Five cents of rain at Chikmagalur. Standing crops, *viz.*, sugar-cane, paddy, wheat, cholam, gid ragi, &c., in good condition. Paddy was sown in the Chikmagalur Taluk. Prospects of season and public health generally good. Small-pox still prevalent in parts. Pasturage sufficient. Cattle are in a healthy condition. Prices: rice 12 to 15 seers and ragi 23 to 28 seers per rupee.

Chitaldroog District.—Standing crops in good condition in some places and fading in others. Rain is much needed. Ploughing operations continued. Prospects of season and public health good. Cattle suffering from murrain in parts. Water-supply and pasturage sufficient. Prices: rice 10 to 14 seers, ragi 32 to 46 seers, and javari 32 to 42 seers per rupee.

By Order,

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Secretary.